SECURITY MEASURES TAKEN BY THE CHP SINCE SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

Activation of Emergency Resource Centers

• All eight division ERCs and the headquarters ERC were activated. The ERCs have remained on 24-hour, seven-day-a-week limited activation.

Joint Terrorist Task Forces

- The CHP has become involved with joint terrorism task forces comprised of members from the Department of Justice and other federal, state and local law enforcement agencies. There are currently nine of these task forces established with at least one CHP officer assigned as a member.
- The CHP is a member of a joint committee with Caltrans and other related agencies to evaluate security at the state's bridges, tunnels and tubes.
- Commissioner Helmick was appointed by the Governor as the head of the state's joint terrorism task force.

Enhanced Protection of State-Owned Assets

- The CHP has implemented enhanced security measures at many potential terrorist targets and state-owned assets.
- Departmental personnel have provided surveillance and security at many of the state's major bridges.
- Officers have been stationed at both ends of the Golden Gate Bridge to monitor the bridge and ensure an ongoing visual presence.
- The Department is planning on implementing a bicycle patrol program to monitor and patrol the pedestrian walkway on the Golden Gate Bridge.
- The CHP has increased patrol and surveillance of all major freeway interchanges.

Nuclear Power Plants

 The Department has dedicated additional personnel to assist with security and surveillance at the San Onofre and Diablo Canyon nuclear power plants.

Energy Supply Facilities

• The Department has assisted with surveillance and security of the state's power grid. Aircraft have been used to patrol remote or inaccessible areas.

Enhanced Security at the State Capitol and Other State Offices

- Security measures at the Capitol and other state offices have been increased.
- Staffing of CHP law enforcement personnel has been increased at the State Capitol.
- Additional officers have been assigned to key facilities to ensure the safety of state buildings and their occupants.
- Following the approval of the State Assembly Joint Rules Committee, concrete planters are now being installed at the Capitol to restrict vehicular access to the buildings.
- All persons entering the Capitol building and state court buildings are subject to identification checks and weapons checks through use of hand-held or walk-through metal detection devices.

Aqueduct / Dams

- The Department has increased the ground-level monitoring of the California's waterways and dams.
- Aircraft have been assigned to patrol those areas that are remote or inaccessible.

Hazardous Materials Terminal Contacts

 The CHP is contacting all commercial carriers of hazardous materials to determine if drivers are properly endorsed and have the proper documentation for the materials they are transporting, and that security measures for vehicles are in place.

Bomb Threats

• The CHP has responded to, investigated and assisted allied agencies with numerous bomb threat incidents.

Investigative Assistance

- CHP officers have assisted the FBI with investigative traffic stops of individuals suspected of having involvement in terrorist activity.
- CHP personnel have assisted with the investigation of airport and car rental vehicle theft cases with possible links to terrorist activity.

Increased Air Operations

 CHP aircraft have been flying routine surveillance patrols over major dams, electrical towers, power grids, state buildings, the California Aqueduct and other potential targets throughout the state.

Airport Security

• The CHP has assisted with traffic control and perimeter entry control at airports throughout the state.

Biological Terrorism

- The CHP recently provided mail handling training to over 2,000 state employees. A training video was made and offered to allied agencies and the general public. The CHP has distributed over 3,000 thousand tapes to date.
- Nineteen television stations have run the mail room training video in its entirety.
- The CHP web site has received in excess of 196,000 inquiries to view the training video.
- The training video information provided on the CHP web site is also being offered on the Internet site Yahoo.com.
- The CHP has established the Bioterrorism Unit within the Enforcement Services
 Division to provide threat assessments concerning biological or chemical agents.
 The Unit also has been tasked with identifying and evaluating equipment such as
 anthrax identifiers and eradicators. The Unit is currently looking into hand-held
 anthrax detection devices and machines that can be used to cleanse mail of anthrax
 and other agents before it is handled by employees.

Fiscal Analysis

Total Cost Post 9/11/01 Activity

The following is an analysis of additional CHP expenditures since September 11, 2001.

Enhanced Security Levels (9/11/01-9/16/01)		\$4,728,000
 Overtime and related costs Increased Air Operations Equipment (Thermal Imaging Units) 	\$4,337,000 \$182,000 \$209,000	
Enhanced Security Levels (9/17/01-10/15/01)		\$8,961,000
 Overtime and related costs (10/7/01-10/15/01) Increased Air Operations (9/17/01-10/15/01) 	\$8,513,000 \$448,000	
Anticipated Flight Hours		\$4,061,000
• Projected Air Operations Costs through 6/30/02	\$4,061,000	
Miscellaneous Items		\$275,000
 Peacekeeper Rifles Anthrax Training Video Production/Distribution 	\$15,000 \$210,000 \$50,000	

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